

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Public Service - Tribal Welfare Department - Revision Petition of Sri B.Someswara Rao, LFL Head Master, Government Tribal Welfare Ashram Upper Primary School, Vennela Valasa, Srikakulam District - Filed against the punishment imposed by the Project Officer, ITDA, Seethampeta for stoppage of (3) three Annual Grade Increments with cumulative effect - The Punishment reduced to that of (1) one Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect - Orders - Issued.

TRIBAL WELFARE (Ser.A2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 569

Dated 05-11-2014

Read the following:

1. From the Project Officer, I.T.D.A., Seethampeta, Srikakulam District his procs. Rc.No.473/ 86-H dated 30.06.1986.
2. Appeal dated 25.08.1986, 25.08.1987, 25.08.1988, 10.11.2004, 21.02.2005, 15.04.2005 of Sri B.Someswara Rao, LFL Head Master to the District Collector, Srikakulam.
3. Review Petition dated 22.01.2010 of Sri B.Someswara Rao, LFL Head Master filed before the Prl. Secy.to Govt. (TW), Hyderabad
4. Govt.Memo.No.9821/TW.Ser.III/2010 dated 12.10.2010.
5. From the CTW, Hyd. Lr.Rc.No.K1/10510/2010, dated 18.06.2013.
6. Govt.Memo.No.9821/TW.Ser.III/2010 dated 23.11.2013 addressed to Dist. Collector, Srikakulam.
7. From the District Collector, Srikakulam his letter Rc.No. 96/2013/H(TW) dated 29.12.2013.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, orders were issued by the Project Officer, I.T.D.A., Seethampeta, Srikakulam District for stoppage of (3) Annual Grade Increments with cumulative effect against Sri B.Someswara Rao, formerly Deputy Warden, Tribal Welfare Ashram School, Cheepi for improper running of Tribal Welfare Ashram School.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Sri B.Someswara Rao has filed Appeal Petitions before the District Collector, Srikakulam. But, no orders have been issued in this regard.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the individual has preferred Revision Petition before the Government in Tribal Welfare Department with a request to exonerate him from the punishment.

4. When the remarks of Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad are sought on the issue, the Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad vide reference 5th read above, while forwarding a detailed report has opined that the punishment issued to Sri B.Someswara Rao formerly Deputy Warden by the Project Officer, I.T.D.A. Seethampeta for the minor irregularities without proper evidential records submitted by the Enquiry Officer seems to be not justifiable.

5. In the reference 6th read above, the District Collector, Srikakulam was requested to submit his remarks in the entire matter along with the Action Taken Report on the Appeal Petitions filed by Sri B.Someswara Rao formerly Deputy Warden against the orders of the Project Officer, I.T.D.A., Seethampeta.

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6. In the reference 7th read above, the District Collector, Srikakulam has requested to take further action at Government level as per the material available in this case.

7. Government after careful examination of the entire issue taking into consideration of the opinion of the Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad have observed that the Appeal case has been pending with Project Officer, ITDA Seethampeta / the Collector, Srikakulam for the past 27 years and the Enquiry Officer has also could not make out any strong case against the charged officer warranting major punishment of stoppage of (3) three annual grade increments with cumulative effect against him. As the time taken to give final decision is too long, the punishment should be considered as deemed to have undergone.

8. In view of the above, the Revision Petition filed by Sri B.Someswara Rao, formerly Deputy Warden presently working as LFL Head Master, Government Tribal Welfare Ashram Upper Primary School, Vennela Valasa, Srikakulam District is hereby allowed and the punishment of stoppage of (3) three annual grade increments with cumulative effect, imposed on him by the Project Officer, ITDA Seethampeta, Srikakulam District is reduced to that of stoppage of (1) one Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect as the damage caused to him is too heavy.

9. The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad is requested to take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**Dr.A.VIDYA SAGAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVT. (TW)**

To

Sri B.Someswara Rao, LFL Head Master,
G.T.W.A.U.P. School, Vennela Valasa, Srikakulam District
(Through the Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad.)
The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, Hyderabad.
The District Collector, Srikakulam District.
The Project Officer, ITDA, Seethampeta, Srikakulam District

Copy to:

The P.S. to Minister for Social Welfare & Tribal Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad.
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government (TW)
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SECTION OFFICER